## CALTRANS COMMUTER ALERT



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## STATE ROUTE 65 IN KERN COUNTY ONE WAY TRAFFIC CONTROL SCHEDULED FOR NEXT WEEK

The Department of Transportation (Caltrans) announces a scheduled one way traffic control operation on State Route 65 in Kern County between 7<sup>th</sup> Standard Road to just south of Merced Avenue. This closure will be necessary to allow Construction crews to conduct asphalt paving operations within this area of State Route 65.

The following closures are scheduled for next week (weather permitting):

State Route 65 in Kern County between 7<sup>th</sup> Standard Road to just south of Merced Avenue, will be reduced to one lane beginning on Sunday night, October 23<sup>rd</sup> through Friday morning, October 28<sup>th</sup>, 2011 between the hours of 6:00 p.m. and 6:00 a.m. each night.

Construction Crews will be conducting one way traffic control during this time with the use of a pilot vehicle to escort traffic through the work zone. Commuters are reminded to stay behind the pilot vehicle and pay close attention to construction vehicles and personnel.

Closures may continue for longer periods of time if necessary, due to delays caused by weather or uncontrollable events that may occur during maintenance.

Caltrans would like to thank commuters for their patience and remind you to drive with extra care and allow additional travel time while travelling on State Route 65. Please be alert for Road Construction Personnel and

"Slow for the Cone Zone."

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